

LUTON UNLUCKY AT BRISTOL

THE ROVERS WIN IN THE LAST
FEW MINUTES.

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BRISTOL ROVERS (h), 3; LUTON, 2.

Bristol Rovers having now no further interest in the Cup are able to concentrate their energies on the Southern League championship, and Luton were the victims of this concentration.

Although, as a Luton player, I may say they were very fortunate to win at all, they were handicapped by the absence of Tait and Beats, the latter being especially missed at centre forward.

Cartlidge was safe, as usual, in goal, and was well covered by Dunn and Pudan. The halves also played an energetic game, Appleby, perhaps, being the pick. The forwards gave a good display, but, as I have said before, rather missed the skilful guidance of Beats.

S. Lindsay kept a fine goal for Luton, and McEwan and Turner played splendidly at back, Turner especially playing well. Ross and Eaton made a good right wing, as did Moody and Barnes on the left, while Lamberton played a dashing game at centre until injury necessitated his retirement.

I am very sorry we lost, as the points would have done us good. But I don't think Bristol will object to my saying that we were distinctly unfortunate.

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